

up. I think he has not joined the walk-out. He did not want to move his resolution.

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—Why not we send for him?

President.—I sounded the bell. Nobody turned up. His name may be included as a case of doubt. And Mr. Raman Menon?

Mr. Sheik Abdul Qadir Sahib Bahadur.—At first he did not walk out. Subsequently he walked out.

Mr. O. R. Chummar.—Mr. K. Raman Menon too. He went last. He went rather late without making any noise.

President.—The test is we must take them to have participated in the walk-out, if they walked out without losing time. But if they took some time, and rested for a few minutes, then I think you may take their case as one not within the walk-out.

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—They have walked out. They are not present here.

President.—It must appear in the proceedings who all are the Members who walked out.

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—Regarding Mr. Ambooken, you may ask him.

The Cochin Jenmi Kudiyan Bill.

President.—The next item of business is Mr. Rama Ayyar's Bill. He is absent. So, it is taken as withdrawn.

The Cochin Free Compulsory Primary Education Bill.

President.—The next item is Mr. K. T. Mathew's Bill. Absent. Taken as withdrawn.

Resolutions on matters of General Public Interest.

1. *The reduction in the rate of school fees (contd.)*

President.—The next item is continuation of the discussion of Mr. Ambooken's resolution. It was discussed in part yesterday. The resolution has been moved in the Council. So the Council is in possession of the resolution. Is it not, Mr. Kochunni Menon?

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—It has to be put to the vote.

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon.—Yesterday's resolution is not finished.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—The mover may not have to say anything more.

Mr. V. K. Kochunni Menon.—Mr. Ambooken's resolution is to-day's resolution. Yesterday's resolutions are all passed.

President.—It was only moved. There was no quorum, and so the sitting was brought to a close 20 minutes to 5.